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TOPIC Parndorf Airfield

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This is UNEVALUATED Information

Between 7 and 14 November 1954, the following observations on Parndorf airfield were made when passing by the field or from Bruck on the Leitha River:

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7 November. No air activity was observed from Bruck/Leitha. There was a closed ceiling and poor visibility.

8 November. No air activity was observed from Bruck/Leitha. There was a 9/10 overcast and rain. At 1800, the runway strip was lighted. There was no activity at the field.

9 November. At about 0500, the runway strip was lighted. No air activity was observed from Bruck/Leitha later on. There was a 9/10 overcast and rain.

10 and 11 November. No air activity was observed from Bruck/Leitha. There was a 9/10 overcast and rain.

12 November. At about 0100, the field and its installations were not lighted. There was rain. Between 1300 and 1400, there was no air activity. There was a closed ceiling and rain. Aircraft parked at the field included 22 jet aircraft, 1 monoplane with two-bladed propeller and 1 biplane. No details were observed because of poor visibility. The runway strip and a major part of the field were flooded. Soldiers wearing rubber boots were digging ditches to drain off the water.

13 and 14 November. No air activity was observed from Bruck/Leitha. There was a 1/10 overcast.

Comment. Parndorf airfield is believed to be occupied by one Soviet fighter regiment.

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